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INFO AMEMBASSY BONN

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AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

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DEPT PASS ACDA/NTB/ID, ATTENTION LINDA GALLINI

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SUBJECT: REGULATIONS GOVERNING HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL

REF: STATE 24952

ACCORDING TO A BELGIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR
THIS SUBJECT, BELGIAN LAWS AND PROCEDURES DO NOT REQUIRE
FORMALLY APPROVED ARRANGEMENTS FOR SPENT FUEL REPROCESSING
OR WASTE DISPOSAL PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF LICENSES TO CONSTRUCT
AND OPERATE NUCLEAR POWER REACTORS. THE BASIC LAW ALYING
DOWN AUTHORIZAING PROCEDURES (ACT OF 29 MARCH 1958) PROVIDES
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THE FOLLOWING: "THE KING IS AUTHORIZED TO SUBJECT TO
CONDITIONS AIMED AT PROTECTING THE HEALTH OF THE POPULATION,
THE IMPORTATION, PRODUCTION, MANUFACTURE, RETENTION,
TRANSPORTATION OR USE FOR COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL,
SCIENTIFIC, MEDICAL OR OTHER PRUPOSES, OF APPLIANCES
OR SUBSTANCES CAPABLE OF EMITTING IONIZING RADIATION.
TO THIS END, HE MAY ALSO REGULATE THE DISPOSAL AND

EVACUATION OF RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES." THUS THE
GOVERNMENT HAS GENERAL AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE REQUIREMENTS
FOR REPROCESSING AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, BUT IT HAS NOT
IMPLEMENTED THAT AUTHORITY. WE ARE POUCHING A SUMMARY
OF REQUIRED BELGIAN AUTHORIZATION PROCEDURES FOR THE
CONSTRUCTION AND EXPLOITATION OF NUCLEAR FACILITIES,
COMPILED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES
(1976:EUR5284, ENGLISH VERSION). RENNER

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